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Frampton E. Ellis L

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Corrective Shoe Sole Structures Using a For:

Contour Greater Than the Theoretically Ideal:

Stability Plane

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated August 29, 2003, revised to indicate that claims 1-20 have been canceled in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated January 23, 2004. This response is timely filed within the one month period for response set by the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment.

If any additional fee is due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0462. Moreover, please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0462.

A listing of claims showing amendments begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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